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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Before the first full paragraph on page 1, insert the heading: BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION.

Before the first full paragraph on page 2, insert the heading: SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION.

Amend the second full paragraph on page 2 as follows:

According to a first aspect, the invention resides in a method of locating an assembly point on a first part, through which the first part is to be joined to a second part, the method comprising the steps of: determining an assembly location in respect of the second part; ~~the method being characterised by the steps of:~~ measuring a portion of a surface of the first part spaced away from the second part so as to define the position and orientation of the surface; calculating the assembly point on the surface of the first part, where the surface of the first part is intersected by a vector passing between the determined assembly location and the

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surface of the first part; and, indicating the calculated the assembly point on the surface of the first part.

Amend the paragraph bridging pages 2 and 3 as follows:

According to a second aspect, the invention resides in a method of locating an assembly point on a first part, through which the first part is to be joined to a second part, the method comprising the steps of: determining an assembly location in respect of the second part; offering up the first part for assembly with the second part, the first part overlying the determined assembly location; ~~the method being characterised by the steps of:~~ measuring a portion of a surface of the first part spaced away from the second part so as to define the position and orientation of the surface; calculating the assembly point on the surface of the first part, where the surface of the first part is intersected by a vector passing between the determined assembly location and the surface of the first part; and, indicating the calculated the assembly point on the surface of the first part.

Before the first full paragraph on page 5, insert the heading: BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS.

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Before the eighth full paragraph on page 5, insert the heading: **DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION.**

After the paragraph bridging pages 16 and 17 insert the following paragraph:

The foregoing disclosure has been set forth merely to illustrate the invention and is not intended to be limiting. Since modifications of the disclosed embodiments incorporating the spirit and substance of the invention may occur to persons skilled in the art, the invention should be construed to include everything within the scope of the appended claims and equivalents thereof.